

H.R. 6106. An act to extend the waiver authority for the Secretary of Education under title IV, section 105, of Public Law 109-148.

H.R. 6159. An act to extend temporarily certain authorities of the Small Business Administration.

Under the authority of the order of the Senate of January 5, 2005, the enrolled bills were signed on October 4, 2006, during the adjournment of the Senate, by the President pro tempore (Mr. STEVENS).

#### ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Under the authority of the Order of the Senate of January 5, 2005, the Secretary of the Senate, on October 4, 2006, during the adjournment of the Senate, received a message from the House of Representatives, announcing that the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. WOLF of Virginia) had signed the following enrolled bills:

S. 2562. An act to increase, effective as of December 1, 2006, the rates on compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for the survivors of certain disabled veterans.

S. 3728. An act to promote nuclear non-proliferation in North Korea.

H.R. 3508. An act to authorize improvements in the operation of the government of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

H.R. 5122. An act to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2007 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

H.R. 6197. An act to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2007 through 2011, and for other purposes.

Under the authority of the order of the Senate of January 5, 2005, the enrolled bills were signed on October 4, 2006, during the adjournment of the Senate, by the President pro tempore (Mr. STEVENS).

#### ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Under the authority of the Order of the Senate of January 5, 2005, the Secretary of the Senate, on October 23, 2006, during the adjournment of the Senate, received a message from the House of Representatives, announcing that the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. DAVIS of Virginia) had signed the following enrolled bill:

H.R. 6061. An act to establish operational control over the international land and maritime borders of the United States.

Under the authority of the order of the Senate of January 5, 2005, the enrolled bills were signed on October 23, 2006, during the adjournment of the Senate, by the Vice President.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 10 a.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has agreed to

the following concurrent resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 491. Concurrent resolution providing for a correction to the enrollment of H.R. 6233.

#### ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

The Secretary of the Senate announced that on October 2, 2006, she had presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 56. An act to establish the Rio Grande Natural Area in the State of Colorado, and for other purposes.

S. 203. An act to reduce temporarily the royalty required to be paid for sodium produced, to establish certain National Heritage Areas, and for other purposes.

S. 213. An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain Federal land to Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

S. 2146. An act to extend relocation expenses test programs for Federal employees.

S. 3187. An act to designate the Post Office located at 5755 Post Road, East Greenwich, Rhode Island, as the "Richard L. Cevoli Post Office".

S. 3613. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2951 New York Highway 43 in Averill Park, New York, as the "Major George Quamo Post Office Building".

#### EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-8474. A communication from the Chief, Programs and Legislation Division, Office of Legislative Liaison, Department of the Air Force, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the initiation of a multi-function standard competition of the Base Operation and Support Functions at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-8475. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting, the report of a retirement; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-8476. A communication from the Principal Deputy, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting, pursuant to law, notice of the Department's intent to close the Defense commissary store at Babenhause, Germany, on or about December 31, 2006; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-8477. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Flumetsulam; Pesticide Tolerance" (FRL No. 8092-7) received on September 29, 2006; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-8478. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Soybean Oil, Ethoxylated; Tolerance Exemption" (FRL No. 8092-4) received on September 29, 2006; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-8479. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office

of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Acetic Acid Ethenyl Ester, Polymer with 1-Ethenyl-2-Pyrrolidinone; Tolerance Exemption" (FRL No. 8092-5) received on September 29, 2006; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-8480. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Office of Regulatory Policy, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Mutual Fund Redemption Fees" (RIN3235-AJ51) received on September 29, 2006; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8481. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a copy of a document that the Agency recently issued related to its regulatory programs; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8482. A communication from the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the agency's report relative to its strategic plan for years 2006-2011; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8483. A communication from the Chief of the Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Implementation of section 402(a)(1) of H.R. 4" (Announcement 2006-70) received on September 29, 2006; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8484. A communication from the Chief of the Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Bureau of Labor Statistics Price Indexes for Department Stores—July 2006" (Rev. Rul. 2006-48) received on September 29, 2006; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8485. A communication from the General Counsel, Office of Justice Programs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "International Terrorism Victim Expense Reimbursement Program" (RIN1121-AA63) received on September 29, 2006; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-8486. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Community Food and Nutrition Program for Fiscal Year 2003; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-8487. A communication from the Deputy Archivist of the United States, National Archives and Records Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Changes in NARA Research Room and Museum Hours" (RIN3095-AB52) received on September 29, 2006; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-8488. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Secretary, White House Liaison, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the designation of an acting officer for the position of General Counsel, received on October 6, 2006; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

EC-8489. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Secretary, White House Liaison, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy in the position of General Counsel, received on October 6, 2006; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

EC-8490. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Secretary, White House Liaison, Department of Veterans Affairs,